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MONDAY, July 2
 SENATE. The special Committee on the quality

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The effect is to restore the lands in question to the former owners, and give to the freedmen, in lieu of them, six years' lease of twenty acres of land, and the expiration of that period a certificate of sale and payment of a sum not exceeding \$1 50 per acre. The general opinion that the President will veto it.

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THE SENATE. The senate amendment fixing the tariff on tin from foreign parts at \$1.60 per lb. as adopted.

The amendments were agreed to taxing rice at fifty, and all other kinds of silks sixty per cent ad valorem.

THURSDAY, July 10.

THE SENATE. The bill establishing a commission to examine and audit the claims of Massachusetts against the General Government for coast-guard, was passed.

The debate was had on the bill, reading the act retrograding Alexandria to Virginia, and it postponed until to-morrow.

The bill providing for the payment of Quartermaster's stores taken from the loyal citizens in the South, was read and discussed, but not acted on.

Home. A resolution was adopted inquiring of the President as to the number of American vessels destroyed by Chinese pirates last year, and whether

The bill expansory of the Pacific Railroad Act taken up.

Amendments were adopted that the act should interfere with any rights of the California Central Pacific, the Union Pacific Railroad, or any other line from the 100th meridian between the north bank of the Platte and south bank of the Republican river Nebraska.

FRIDAY, July 10.

SENATE. The bill for the equalization of bounty was reported from the Military Committee.

The Conference Committee on the Tax bill reported compromise on cotton of 8 cents per pound. Referred to the Finance Committee.

HOUSE. The bill for the payment of Quartermasters' staffs diminished to the army was taken up.

The question was on Mr. Wilson's amendment to strike out the provision authorizing payment for stock and property received for

17 to 18. The Senate announced to the Indian Appropriation bill were referred to the Appropriation Committee.

On the 18th granting pensions to soldiers of 1812 was taken up. An amendment restricting its benefits to those who remained loyal was agreed to.

Considerable debate took place and the bill passed to include sailors, and then recommitted to the Committee.

BE PREPARED. How often are people, both old and young, attacked at the dead hour of night with cholera morbus, cramps, colic, vomiting and purging. No medicine can be obtained till morning: the sufferer grows worse; perhaps death has already claimed the victim. The doses of Cox's Hygienic Care will have relieved the cramps and pains, and soon completed the cure of his troubles. Mothers, be ready for your children! Fathers, provide for

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❖ Better late than never, if your teeth are going and you have not yet tried the "Sassaparilla," as a preservative, try it now. Abandon all other dentifrice and give it a fair chance; it is guaranteed to be harmless as water.

FIGS. Two bears belonging to A. K. Bump, northwicks, together with a shed, granary and other buildings, were lately destroyed by fire on the night of the 25th ult. from about \$4000.

27 The Internal Revenue receipts of the year ending June 30 will exceed the estimates by some 20 millions of dollars. The total amount is about 200 millions and fifty millions.

28 It is true of most cathartic medicines now on the market, that they leave the bowels in a torpid, feeble state. Parson's Purgative Pills leave the bowels in a healthy condition.

29 For all Lung difficulties, Johnson's Anodyne Linctus should be used upon the Throat and Chest, in addition as well as inwardly.

30 The Hair Restorer that gives the best satisfaction is a Pechestine. Used and sold every where.



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